



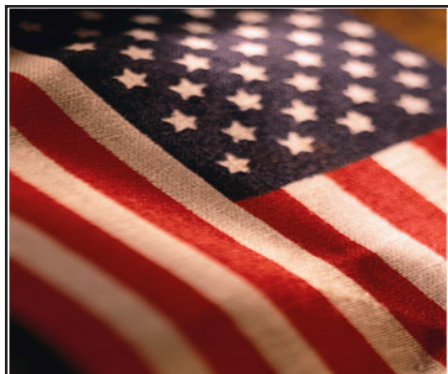
Yucca Weekly Update



Councilmember Joyce Clark - City of Glendale, Arizona

Yucca District - where Glendale's past, present and future meet.

February 12, 2010



President's Day Holiday Notice. City of Glendale offices will be closed on Monday, Feb. 15 in observance of President's Day.

For all households whose scheduled garbage and recycling service falls on the holiday, city sanitation crews will provide service the following day.

The Glendale Municipal Landfill will be closed. For more information about the city's Sanitation services, call (623) 930-2660.

Buses will be running the normal weekday schedule. The Gus Bus will only operate on one route. Dial-a-Ride will operate on a reservation-only basis. Reservations must be made by noon on Friday, Feb. 12. For details about the holiday transit schedule, call (623) 930-3500.

In addition, Glendale's three public libraries will be closed, as well as the Glendale Visitor Center.

While the Glendale Municipal Airport will remain open during the holiday, the airport's administrative offices will be closed.

However, the Foothills Recreation and Aquatics Center will be open on this holiday, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

What does the 2010 Census mean to Glendale?

- More than half of the city's operating budget is determined by Census data!
- Ensures we are fairly represented at the state and federal level
- Provides funding for police and fire protection
- Funds our parks and libraries
- Funds our streets and roads
- Funds school lunch programs and senior centers
- The higher the response rate on the 2010 U.S. Census for the city of Glendale, the more revenue the city receives to provide essential city services.

You will receive your questionnaire in March 2010 either by U.S. mail or hand delivery.



2010 Census Questionnaire: Easy, Important and Safe. With only 10 questions, the 2010 Census questionnaire takes approximately 10 minutes to complete. Households are asked to provide key demographic information, including: whether a housing unit is rented or owned; the address of the residence; and the names, genders, ages and races of those living in the household. By law, the Census Bureau cannot share an individual's responses with anyone, including other federal agencies and law enforcement entities.

New Online Video Library. Glendale residents can now watch their favorite shows from the award-winning Glendale 11 television station, as well as current and past city council meetings, online and on-demand thanks to a new video library on the city's Web site.

This new video archive aims to keep residents informed, with the convenience of watching what they want, when they want it. The library can be found at www.glendaleaz.com/video and features a variety of video content about the city of Glendale, including city council meetings, Glendale Today and special features like festival shows and the popular "The Making of the Stadium."

Powered by Granicus, an online video streaming tool, the video library also allows users to search city council meetings for specific agenda items and then click immediately to that part of the meeting that interests them.

Road Closures and Restrictions on Feb. 14. The city of Glendale is closing and restricting several streets to accommodate runners participating in the IMS Marathon Sunday, Feb. 14, around the Sports and Entertainment District in Glendale. The closures will take place between 6:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. and will include:

- 99th Avenue will be closed to all traffic between Maryland and Glendale avenues
- South of Maryland Avenue to Camelback Road, 99th Avenue will be restricted to one lane southbound
- Westbound Maryland Avenue will be closed between 95th and 99th avenues
- 95th Avenue between Maryland Avenue and Coyotes Boulevard will be closed to all traffic except vehicles going to or from the Hampton Inn

Glendale Police will be directing traffic to establish a safe and steady traffic flow, and drivers are encouraged to follow traffic signs for direction. For more information, visit www.glendalesgotgame.com.



Glendale Civic Center Wins Bride's Choice Award. WeddingWire, the nation's leading wedding technology company, has selected the Glendale Civic Center to receive the WeddingWire 2010 Bride's Choice Award™ for Best Wedding and Reception Venue.

The annual Bride's Choice Awards recognize and celebrate excellence in quality and service within the wedding industry, as determined by recent reviews and extensive surveys from over 500,000 newlyweds.

The Glendale Civic Center is among the top five percent of vendors in the WeddingWire community, which includes more than 100,000 wedding professionals across the US and Canada. Awards were given to winners across 19 different service categories, from wedding venues to wedding photographers.

For more information on the Glendale Civic Center, including competitively priced wedding packages, [click here](#) or call (623) 930-4300.

Around Town

[Click here](#) for the City Council meeting schedule.

Parent's Night Out on February 13. Parents can enjoy an evening out during the Valentine's weekend through the Glendale Parks & Recreation Department's Parent's Night Out from 5-9 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 13.

During Parent's Night Out, children are dropped off by their parents to the Glendale Adult Center, 5970 W. Brown St., where arts and crafts, games, ping pong, pizza, drinks and more await them. Parents should also bring their children's pajamas and a pillow for the evening movie.

The cost per child is only \$10 for Glendale residents and \$12 for non-residents. Preregistration is required; call 623-930-2820 to register or for more information.

C-SPAN Civics Bus. Capitol Hill, The White House and National Politics – it's all available on cable through C-SPAN. The channel offers non-stop coverage of government proceedings and public affairs programming. Find out more about what C-SPAN has in its archives when the C-SPAN Civics Bus stops at Glendale Main Library, 5959 W. Brown St., from 2:30-4 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 17. For more information, call (623) 930-3554.

Glendale Coffeehouse. At 7 p.m. on Wednesday, Feb. 17, the Main Library continues a 20-year tradition of Coffeehouse music with these scheduled entertainers: Les and Judy Taylor with mountain folk, country western and contemporary gospel; Ken, Wilma and Tammy Alley and their old-time country, gospel and bluegrass music. Glendale Main Library is located at 5959 W. Brown St. For more information call (623) 930-3573.

Acoustic Jam Sessions. Musicians can bring their acoustic instruments and play round-robin style, while the audience just needs to show up! The Acoustic Jam Session is at 7 p.m., Wednesday, Feb. 24 at the Glendale Main Library, 5959 W. Brown St. For more information call (623) 930-3573.

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